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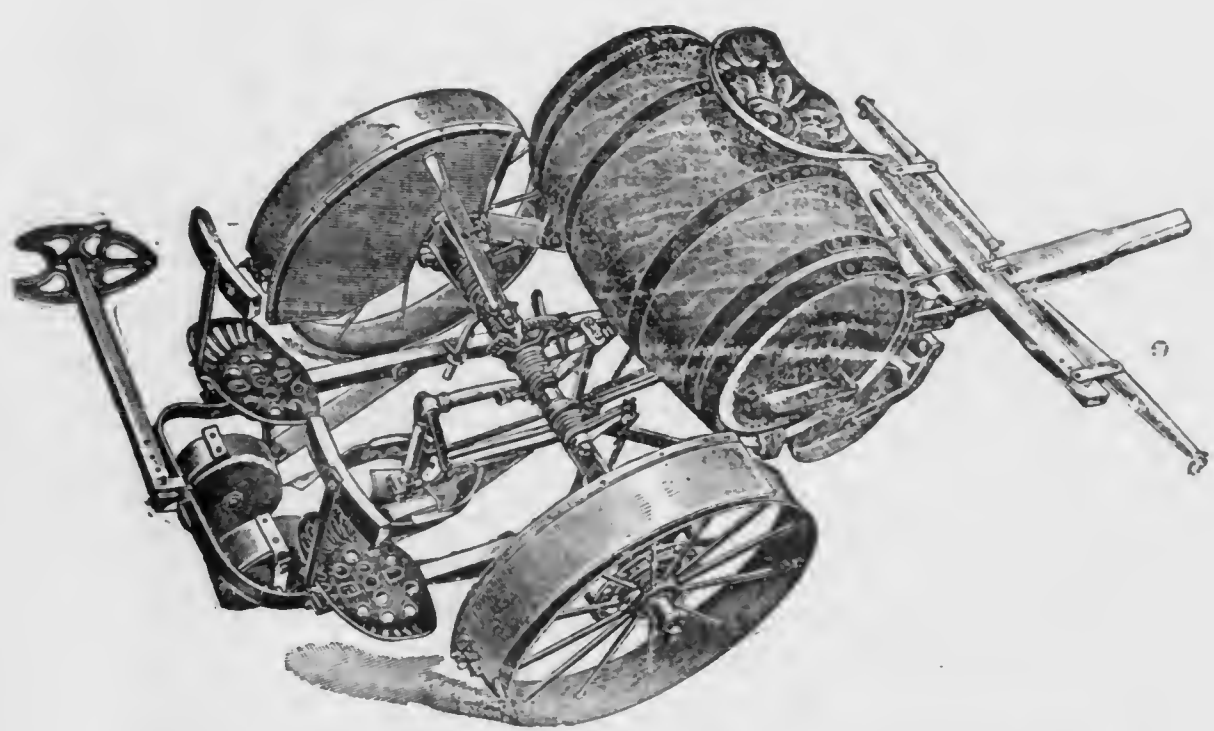
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MILLEFSBURG.

News Notes Gathered In And About The Burg.

Miss Carrie Current is quite ill.
Miss Judith Fleming is suffering with a scalded hand.

Wm. Grimes is pitching ball for the Newport (R. L.) club.

Mr. Jas. Woolmans was in Lexington Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Fannie Smith, of Cynthiana, is the guest of Mrs. J. W. Mock.

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Miss Mabel Mills, of Louisville, is the guest of Mrs. Sue Sandusky.

Miss Mary Smedley went to Hutchison yesterday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Ed Ingels and Mrs. Fannie Porter visited in Carlisle, yesterday.

Letton Vimont has purchased a fancy road mare from S. M. Carpenter.

McIntyre & McClintock shipped a car of hogs to Cincinnati, Wednesday.

Miss Ora Fisher, of Carlisle, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Plummer.

Miss Mattie Parks, of Carlisle, was the guest of Mrs. Ed Ingels, Wednesday.

Mrs. Jas. Gray and daughter, of Mt. Olivet, are guests of M. H. Current.

Mrs. Hoffman and two children returned Wednesday from a visit to Covington.

FLOWERS FOR COMMENCEMENT.—Place your orders now and you will be sure to get them. (2c) JOE MOCK

FOR SALE.—Rufus Butler has 50.00 Burmuda and Strasburg sweet potato plants for sale. (2c)

Mrs. Robt. Howe, guest of her daughter Mrs. Lizzie Miller, returned to Covington, Wednesday.

Miss Maria Thornton returned Wednesday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Connell, at Paris.

Mrs. Bettie Larkin, of Kiser, was the guest of Mrs. Lou Conway and Miss Anna Conway, Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Mann, of Paris, visited Mrs. W. M. Miller, Tuesday. Miss Sadie Hart returned with her.

Assessor W. G. McClintock went to Frankfort, yesterday to meet with the State Board of Equalization.

FOR SALE.—Strasburg sweet potato, and tomato plants. STILES STEWART. (15may-3c)

FOR SALE.—Strasburg sweet potato and all kinds of tomato plants. SAM'L DODSON.

The ladies of the Christian Church will have an inch and foot social at Mrs. Fannie Porter's Saturday night. All invited.

Sunday will be Children's Day, at the Methodist Church. There will be an interesting program of songs, recitations and singing.

Take your laundry to R. B. Bonden, agent for Reed's laundry of Paris. Work warranted or no charge. Collar bands repaired free. (12may-3c)

Dr. C. B. Smith is in Louisville this week attending State Medical Convention. His wife and daughter, are visiting relatives at Hutchison.

Road Commissioner Thos. McClintock is having a double width of rock put on the Maysville & Lexington Pike from Nicholas county line through the city.

Misses Willie and Florence Whaley and Ernest Gorman visited Mrs. Walter Whaley, of Bethel, and aunt, Mrs. Jacob Warner, of Owingsville, last week.

John Hennessey, of Paris, was down Wednesday to repair the rock crusher he was recently appointed Inspector of Weights and Measures for Bourbon County.

The L. & N. will offer a special rate to Cincinnati Sunday from Paris at \$1.25 round trip. Train will leave Paris at 5.15 a. m., and returning will leave Union Depot, Cincinnati, at 7.55 p. m.

CARLISLE.

News Gleaned From Nicholas County Precincts.

(From The Mercury.)

MARRIED.—At the home of the bride, in this county, on the 17th, by Rev. H. M. Sender, Miss Lizzie Brinnegar and J. B. Linville.

MARRIED.—In Mt. Sterling last Monday, by Judge Hazlrigg, John McQuinty, of Montgomery and Miss Jennie Terry, of Nicholas.

DIED.—At her home, near this city, on Thursday night last, Mrs. W. C. McCracken, aged about 45 years, after an illness of very few hours.

Chas. Hill, salesman for the Bonbrun Marble Works, made the following sales here last week: Wm. Soper a \$500 granite sarcophagus, and Mrs. C. A. Parks a \$200 granite sarcophagus.

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James S. Huff has given up the hotel at Cynthiana, and Mrs. Fannie Smith, his mother-in-law, who has been keeping house for him, has moved to Millersburg to live with her sister Mrs. John Mock.

MARRIED.—The marriage of Mr. Elwell Clark, of near Sharpsburg, and Miss Fannie Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Rice, of this city, took place last night.

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STORM IN OHIO.

Schoolhouses in Canal Fulton and Montpelier Wrecked, Children Hurt.

Much Other Property in the Path of the Storm Was Badly Damaged—The Full Effect of the Blow is Not Yet Known.

TOLEDO, O., May 17.—Toledo and northwestern Ohio passed through one of the worst storms in years Tuesday from noon until 6 o'clock. The full effect of the blow is not yet known, as there are several small boats on the river that have been reported as capsized. In the city a number of plate glass fronts were blown in and other damage to a considerable amount done.

Several houses were unroofed at Tiffin and at the France stone quarry a number of workmen were more or less injured, Lewis Leslie being picked up by the wind and carried some distance.

MONTPELIER, O., May 17.—A brick schoolhouse near Alverton was struck by a windstorm Tuesday, and of its 23 occupants but three escaped uninjured. The teacher, Miss Flossie Fisher, is probably fatally injured. Two children were struck on the head with flying bricks and can not live. A number of the pupils are seriously hurt. The building was wrecked.

AKRON, O., May 17.—A cyclone struck this city at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon and did much damage. The storm struck the tents of Main's circus and they collapsed upon the crowd. Policemen had hard work to prevent a panic, but the spectators were finally released without injury.

In East Akron the Biggs Boiler Co.'s shops were badly damaged and a portion of a stone wall fell upon the office roof, crashing through it and completely wrecking the interior. The shops of the Akron Sewer Pipe Co. also suffered heavily. More than 150 feet of the main building was blown down and three men slightly injured. Other shops and buildings about the city were damaged more or less and many trees were destroyed. Carriages were overturned in the street and awnings were torn away.

CANAL FULTON, O., May 17.—During the storm Tuesday the wall of a schoolhouse was blown in and nine pupils were injured, some of them quite seriously. The injured are: Mary Kurtz, skull injured; Esther Kurtz, skull injured; Helen Kline, scalp wound; Stella Groff, skull depressed and ankle broken; Grace Herbert, leg broken; Susie Dapp, scalp wound; Tillie Petz, scalp wound and badly bruised about the chest; Mabel Leaver, scalp wound; Jennie Smith, head bruised.

Four scholars were buried beneath the debris of brick and wooden beams. They were extricated by the teacher.

RR. ADM. JOHN C. WATSON.

He Retires From the Command of the Mare Island Navy Yard and Sails for Manila on the City of Peking.

VALEGO, Cal., May 17.—Rr. Adm. John C. Watson, who will relieve Adm. Dewey in command of the Asiatic station, has retired from the command of the Mare Island navy yard, which he has formally turned over to Rr. Adm. Kempff, the new commandant, whose pennant now floats from the receiving ship Independence.

Adm. Watson sailed Tuesday for the Orient on the City of Peking. He will be accompanied to the Orient by his personal staff, Lieuts. Snowden and Marble, and will take five mechanics from Mare Island, who will be employed at the naval station at Cavite.

A HAIL AND WIND STORM.

Much Damage to Property Wrought in Pittsburgh and Vicinity—A Schoolhouse Badly Damaged.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 17.—A terrific windstorm, accompanied by rain and hail, passed over this section at about 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Great damage was done to telegraph and telephone wires, while many trees, fences and roofs were picked up and carried away bodily. The Tenth Ward schoolhouse in Allegheny was so badly twisted that the buildings inspector has condemned it as unsafe. Fortunately school had been dismissed shortly before the storm and the hundreds of pupils were saved injury. Hail did considerable damage in the path of the storm in the suburbs and reports of like damage are coming from many nearby towns.

Earthquake Shocks. HARTFORD, Ct., May 17.—Hartford and other places along the Connecticut river experienced a slight earthquake shock shortly before 8:15 o'clock Tuesday night. Residences in the elevated portions of the city were perceptibly shaken, dishes rattled on shelves.

The Raleigh Sails for Portsmouth. CHARLESTON, S. C., May 17.—The Raleigh sailed Tuesday for Portsmouth. A reception arranged in Capt. Coghlan's honor did not take place at the city hall, as Capt. Coghlan desired to spend the time with his wife.

Manager Watkins Resigns. PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 17.—W. H. Watkins, manager of the Pittsburgh baseball club, resigned Tuesday, and Capt. "Patsy" Donovan was appointed to the position. It is said Watkins will enter business in Indianapolis.

SITUATION IN CUBA GRAVE.

The Plan of Distribution of the \$3,000,000 Among All Cuban Troops Causes Much Disappointment.

HAVANA, May 16.—Gen. Maximo Gomez informed Gov. Gen. Brooke Monday that he must withdraw from the plan for distributing the \$3,000,000 appropriated to the payment of the Cuban troops to the extent that he will not name other commissioners to replace those originally named by him, who have refused to serve. Gen. Brooke is to go ahead with a new plan, Gomez remaining in an attitude of friendly inactivity.

Gen. Brooke will issue an order for Cuban privates and non-commissioned officers to meet at specified places on specified dates to receive payment. They are to be accompanied by their company officers for the purpose of identification. Both Gen. Gomez and the governor general feel that the privates ought not to lose their share in the American gratuity merely because the schemes of certain high officers in the Cuban army have interposed obstacles. The belief among the Americans is that the company officers will assist in this way. Gen. Brooke's order will be disseminated through the newspapers, placarded in the post offices and given the widest circulation practicable.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—High officials in the war department were reluctant to discuss the Cuban situation Monday afternoon. The Press dispatch was read with interest, but it did not cause much surprise among army officers who are well informed about the Cubans, especially those who are known as "soldiers of fortune," and who have been bitterly disappointed because the island was not turned over to them immediately after the Spanish surrender. There is an impression also that the intention of Gen. Brooke to see that the \$3,000,000 are distributed among all the Cuban troops has caused disappointment among the many "generals" and other high officers, who were evidently expecting to secure a large share of the money.

The belief was expressed that the situation in Cuba is serious and that careful and diplomatic management will be needed.

It was stated that no orders would be issued to Gen. Brooke, as he had ample authority to deal with any situation which might arise. There seems to be a belief that Gen. Gomez has contributed to the delay in the payment of the money.

CINCEPUECOS, Province of Santa Clara, May 16.—About 5 o'clock Monday afternoon a gang of Cuban dock laborers called upon Capt. Barker, captain of the port, and made a demand for back pay. As they were violent, Capt. Barker drew his revolver. The laborers retired but returned soon after with 50 others and made a similar demand using profane language, insulting Capt. Barker and offering threats.

The Cuban police were ordered to arrest the malcontents and a general street fight following, in which one laborer was killed and several persons wounded, including three of the police force.

As the Cuban populace became very insulting and threatened revenge, an outbreak was expected and the 2d United States infantry regiment was ordered into the city. The troops were patrolling the town Monday evening. The Cubans are well armed and about an hour ago firing was heard near the custom house, although this was probably only harmless mischief, as the 2d infantry patrol, on investigating the locality, found no one who could be made responsible.

GENERAL ANTI-TRUST LAW.

Gov. Sayers Will Address Letters to the Governors of All the States Asking for a Meeting to Consider the Matter.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 16.—Gov. Sayers gave out the information Monday that as soon as the legislature adjourns he will address a letter to the governors of all the states asking a meeting at some suitable time and place with their attorney generals for the purpose of considering and agreeing upon an effective anti-trust law to be presented to the different legislatures. In the meantime he will insist upon the legislature enacting such a law at the present session.

Famous Old Flagship Hartford.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Adm. Farragut's famous old flagship Hartford, which for many years has been on the Pacific coast, is coming east. She has been selected as a training ship for landsmen and will be placed under command of Capt. Hawley, at present attached to the navigation bureau of the navy department. The landsmen to be trained on the Hartford will be recruited almost entirely in the central west and lake states. The vessel has been completely modernized.

Railway President Shot and Killed.

WILLIAMSVILLE, Mo., May 16.—H. N. Halladay, president of the Williams-ville, Greenville & St. Louis railway, was shot and killed here Monday by Monroe Johnson, a prominent lumberman.

Lieut. Cor. Thos. M. K. Smith Retired.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Lieut. Col. Thomas M. K. Smith, 10th infantry, has been retired after 30 years service. This retirement promotes Maj. Egbert B. Savage, 5th infantry, to be lieutenant colonel.

THE TRANSVAAL.

Several British Officers Placed Under Arrest by Order of Paul Kruger.

Incriminating Documents Found on the Prisoners and it is Expected Further Arrests Will Follow—The News Causes Great Excitement.

PRETORIA, Transvaal Republic, May 17.—The arrest at Johannesburg early Tuesday morning of seven alleged former British officers, named Nicholls, Patterson, Tremlett, Ellis, Freis, Hooper and Mitchell, on the charge of high treason, has caused intense excitement here. The prisoners were brought to Pretoria by special train. After they had been lodged in jail, they were visited by the British diplomatic agent here.

The arrests were effected by a detective who joined the movement, which, it is asserted, was for the purpose of enrolling men in order to cause an outbreak of rebellion.

Incriminating documents were found on the prisoners, and it is expected that further arrests will be made.

LONDON, May 17.—The foregoing dispatch probably explains the telegram received by The Argus of Capetown Tuesday, from Pretoria, saying the Transvaal secretary of state confirmed



PRESIDENT KRUGER OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN REPUBLIC.

the report that a number of unusual arrests had been made and that it was rumored that the prisoners were British officers.

The advices from Johannesburg are also probably connected with a mysterious dispatch received at Johannesburg from Pretoria on May 12, saying a special train fully equipped with Boer artillerymen, guns and searchlight apparatus, was being held in readiness at the capital of the Transvaal. The statement was then declared to be without significance, but Tuesday's news throws a more serious light on the movement, and it is certain there will be a great sensation in London when the news of the arrests becomes generally known.

The afternoon papers Tuesday printed special dispatches from Capetown saying seven men have been arrested at Johannesburg and have been taken to Pretoria. The government of Cape Colony, it further appears, is considering the matter secretly.

The news has caused great excitement throughout South Africa.

The Standard and Diggers' News—the Boers' organ in London—has a dispatch from Pretoria which says that warrants were issued Monday evening by the state attorney and were executed at midnight. The dispatch adds that a plot or rebellion is alleged to have been maturing for four months, and that the accused, who are said to have been engaged by the South African league, had already enlisted 2,000 men.

Cecil Rhodes, the former premier of Cape Colony and resident director in South Africa of the British Chartered South Africa Co., informs a press reporter that he has heard nothing regarding the arrests made at Johannesburg and that he knows nothing about the reason for which they were made.

BAD STORMS IN MICHIGAN.

Considerable Property Was Damaged at Hudson, Caro, Coldwater, Marshall and Brant—No Lives Lost.

DETROIT, Mich., May 17.—Severe storms were quite general throughout the state Tuesday. Hudson, Caro, Coldwater, Marshall and Brant all report considerable property damage, but no lives lost. A special from Hudson, says:

In Detroit the storm struck the southwestern part of the city and did about \$40,000 worth of damage. Forty houses and barns were unroofed and one three-story brick building was completely demolished. There was no loss of life here.

Massacre in Formosa.

VANCOUVER, B. C., May 17.—Formosa advices give details of the massacre of 30 unarmed villagers by about 60 head hunting savages near Taiko. After the massacre the savages indulged in a feast at which the heads of the murdered people were paraded.

The Southern Gets the Alabama Northern.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., May 17.—The Southern Railway company Tuesday issued a circular stating that beginning Tuesday it assumes control of the Alabama Northern road.

TRIP UP THE AMAZON RIVER.

Commander Todd, of the Wilmington, Sends an Account of His Voyage—He Ascended to Yucitos, Peru.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The navy department has just received from Commander Todd, of the Wilmington, an interesting account of the remarkable voyage of an exploration up the Amazon river made by that vessel in April last. The Wilmington was instructed by the navy department to push on up the great river and ascertain how far it was navigable. Capt. Todd reports that he ascended to Yucitos, in Peru, which is about 2,100 miles up the river. This voyage was made, as he says, against an adverse current, averaging three knots for the entire distance.

Manaos, at the junction of the Rio Negro, with the Amazon, has heretofore been regarded as the head of navigation for steam vessels, and from that fact it has grown to be a prosperous city of 40,000 inhabitants. Consequently, the intention of Capt. Todd to ascend the river above that point caused consternation, and in the end, as revealed by subsequent reports, led to some adverse demonstrations against the American consul and against the native pilots who assisted the Wilmington's commander to make the voyage.

Capt. Todd succeeded, notwithstanding these obstacles, in ascending the Amazon for 1,000 miles above Manaos, and had it not been for lack of fuel he could have steamed about 300 miles further, he believes. As it was, the Wilmington, which entered the Amazon from the Atlantic, was within 400 miles of the Pacific and well into Peru before she turned back down the river.

The possibilities of the successful navigation of the vast and hitherto unknown interior of South America, revealed by Capt. Todd's voyage, will, it is believed, be of the greatest commercial importance. Capt. Todd shows that the Amazon, like the Mississippi, is so changeable in its channel as not to permit of successful charting, so that expert pilots will always be required.

BETTER SENSE RULES CUBA.

Political Groups and the Fifteen Daily Newspapers Realize That a Cessation of Wild Talk Is Desirable.

HAVANA, May 18.—Cuban emotion has taken a swift turn toward moderation. All the political groups and the 15 daily newspapers of Havana realized Wednesday that a cessation of wild talk was desirable. Even the acrobatic members of the late military assembly went about soothing their excited followers. The meetings of the national league Wednesday night, though largely attended, were orderly, all the speakers advising calm reflection before any movement is begun, lest violent incidents might be precipitated by rashness.

LOSS NEARLY HALF A MILLION.

Four Large Lumber Firms on Loomis, Lefflin Streets and 21st Place, Chicago, Burned Out.

CHICAGO, May 18.—Almost half a million dollars' worth of property was destroyed Wednesday night by a fierce fire in the lumber district.

The flames were confined to the block bounded by Loomis and Lefflin streets and 21st Place and 22d street. Four large lumber firms suffered by the fire and the combined loss will probably amount to over \$400,000. The firms damaged are: S. T. Gunderson & Son, \$250,000; John A. Ganger & Co., \$30,000; Rathbone, Hair & Ridgeway Co., \$120,000; Pilsen Lumber Co., \$20,000.

THE CONFERENCE FOR PEACE.

All the Delegates Have Arrived at The Hague—Permanent President Will Be M. De Staal, of Russia.

THE HAGUE, May 18.—All the delegates to the international peace conference have arrived. Wednesday was spent in a general exchange of visits. The permanent president of the conference will be M. De Staal, Russian ambassador to Great Britain and the head of the Russian delegation. The honorary chairman, who will open the proceedings will be M. De Baufort, president of the council and minister of foreign affairs of the government of the Netherlands.

Will Abandon Columbus.

COLUMBUS, O., May 18.—It is stated upon good authority here Wednesday that Columbus is to be abandoned by the Detroit & Lima Northern railroad. The road now enters this city over the Toledo & Ohio Central from Peoria, a distance of 35 miles. The change will be effective June 1, after which time the main line of the Detroit & Lima Northern will be between Detroit and Lima, with a branch service to Peoria, where the Ohio Central will be connected with.

Adm. Dewey's Jeweled Sword.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—A notable feature of Adm. Dewey's arrival in Washington will be the presentation to him by the president of the superb jeweled sword made by authority of congress as a testimonial from the government.

Secretary Hitchcock Goes to Hot Springs.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock, having received an invitation from President McKinley to visit him at Hot Springs, left here for that place Wednesday night. He will be absent several days.

REBEL CAPITAL.

San Isidor Now in the Hands of Gen. Lawton's Victorious Troops.

A Flotilla Was Conveyed by the "Tinclad" Army Gunboats Under Capt. Grant—Aguineldo's Captured Secretary Used as Interpreter.

NEW YORK, May 17.—A dispatch from Manila announces that Gen. Lawton has driven the insurgents out of San Isidor and now occupies the town.

MANILA, May 17.—Gen. Lawton's advance guard, under Col. Summers, of the Oregon troops, took San Isidro, the insurgent capital, at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The expedition under Maj. Kebbe, of the 3d artillery, consisting of the 17th infantry, a battalion of the 9th and one battery of the 1st artillery left Calumpit at daybreak Wednesday, marching up the Rio Grande to Gen. Lawton's division at Arayat. A flotilla of cascos were conveyed by the "tinclad" army gunboats under Capt. Grant.

Aguineldo's ex-secretary, Escamillo, who was arrested here on February 23, is now employed as official interpreter by the authorities.

GEN. GOMEZ' MANIFESTO.

He Will Issue One to the Cuban Soldiers Recommending That They Disarm It Is Reported.

HAVANA, May 17.—The manifesto which Gen. Maximo Gomez is preparing to issue will not only review his own position as to the payment of the Cuban army, but probably will direct the forces to disband. Following its publication Gov. Gen. Brooke will issue a modified order eliminating the necessity for the participation of any Cuban commissioner in the distribution of the \$3,000,000.

Col. Carlos Cespedes, who is engaged in the supervision of copying the manifesto, declines to give any information as to its contents further than to say that Gomez recounts his faithful labors for Cuba; asserts that he has no ambition other than to free Cuba, and calls upon all loyal Cubans to accept the money given by the United States and to return to work, in order to show by building up the country that they are citizens in the truest sense.

The governor general regards Gomez as having acted sincerely throughout and believes that his withdrawal from the question of the distribution to an attitude of "friendly inactivity" has been forced upon him by the desertion of those generals upon whom he had relied.

Members of the late Cuban military assembly and other discontented persons belonging to the new revolutionary club styled the Veterans' association met at Cerro and indulged in a prolonged debate on the question of the Cuban troops surrendering their arms. One group was in favor of entrusting the arms to the brigade chiefs or Cuban municipalities. Another group was opposed altogether to surrendering the arms, saying it might be necessary to "use them against American pretensions."

The meeting was presided over by Gen. Jose Laet and was attended by Sangnily, Andrade, Vidal and Juan Gomez. Telegrams from all the provinces were read, opposing giving up the arms. The so-called weakness of Gen. Maximo Gomez was contrasted with Aguineldo's "patriotic courage." No decision was reached. During the meeting Col. Miyores proposed to send the following telegram to Santiago:

"General discontent. We refuse to surrender arms. Opinion unanimous." Gen. Andrade declined to agree to the suggestion, saying it would not be advisable to make such a display of feeling. Instead of the dispatch proposed by Miyores the following was sent.

"Reunited. Decided to agree to muster out on the basis of the decree of former assembly. Announced that Brooke will modify his decree. Await to see if satisfactory. Concert with you in final proceedings."

The voting on this dispatch was 59 in favor against 36 opposed. Such meetings as the one just held at Cerro would be regarded in a less inflammatory community as ominous and outside observers might think Cuba is on the verge of insurrection. Public feeling in Havana is certainly excited, but those whose judgment is worth most consider the agitation to be superficial and to consist merely of phrases which will never lead to an overt act. Gov. Gen. Brooke will go ahead as inoffensively as possible in the disbursement of the \$3,000,000 appropriated for the Cuban troops. This can not begin however until next week. If the Cubans wish to surrender their arms to the municipalities all will be well.

President of the University of Cincinnati.

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 17.—Dr. Howard Ayres, professor of biology in the University of Missouri, has accepted the presidency of the University of Cincinnati, which has just been tendered him.

Norwegians Will Celebrate.

CHICAGO, May 17.—Norwegians of Chicago will celebrate their country's independence day with a demonstration at the Auditorium Wednesday night. William Jennings Bryan is to be the principal speaker.

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It may be interesting to note the following statement of mileage of the New York Central, leased and operated lines, which shows the total miles of track east of Buffalo as 6,114.81.

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Pine Creek.....	74.80
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Terminal Railway of Buffalo.....	11.00
Total.....	2,892.85
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In the white mansions of our God
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Bloom in rare beauty there.
And pleasant there to all our feet,
Are paths that lead to waters sweet.

In the white mansions of our God
Are lights that steady as a beam,
Weary of all the way we've trod
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To dream dear dreams of peace and rest,
Like children on a mother's breast.
—F. L. Stanton, in Atlanta Constitution.



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SYNOPSIS.

Master Ardiek, just reached his majority and thrown upon his own resources, after studying his case to one Houthwick, a shipmaster, is shipped as second mate on the *Industry*, bound for Havana. Mr. Tym, the supercargo, describes a sail. The *Industry* vessel gives chase, but is disabled by the *Industry's* guns. In the fray one of the crew is killed and Houthwick is seen to fall. The captain is found to be dead, but the *Industry* is little damaged. Sellinger, first mate, takes charge and puts into Sidmouth to secure a new mate. Several days later, when well out to sea, an English merchantman is met, whose captain has a letter addressed to Jovenish Hope, at Havana. The crew of the vessel tell strange tales of the buccaneer Morgan, who is sailing under the king's commission to take Panama. One night a little later, the English vessel having proceeded on her course, a bit of paper is slipped into Ardiek's hand by one of the sailors. This is found to be a warning of a mutiny plot headed by Pradey, the ne wmate. Ardiek consults Mr. Tym. They resolve to secure the mate, but Pradey, crowding in the cabin, makes through the door and arouses the crew. Capt. Sellinger joins Ardiek and Tym. The crew break through the now barricaded door, but are forced to retire, having lost seven of their number. Finding themselves how too short-handed to manage the boat, Pradey decides to scuttle and desert the vessel, taking his men off in the only available boat. The captain, supercargo and second mate soon discover their plight, but hastily constructing a raft get away next morning. A Spanish draves near just before their vessel sinks. The men, the man in the rigging shouts: "If you would board us, take to your oars. Be speedy, or you will fall short." On board they are sent forward with the crew, being told they will be sold as slaves to the nearest Panama. The ship's cook they find to be Mac Ivrah, "frase Clagvayloch," so a friend. Four days later the Spaniard is overhauled by a buccaneer flying the English flag. The three Englishmen and Mac Ivrah plan to escape to the buccaneer on a ruse. Sellinger, the last to attempt to leave the Spaniard, is disabled. Just after the others put off they see a figure dangling from the yard arm, whom they suppose is Capt. Sellinger. Halting the buccaneer, our three friends find themselves in the hands of their old mate, Pradey. He treats them kindly and offers to do them no harm if they will but remain quiet concerning the mutiny he headed. The Black Eagle, Pradey's ship, comes to Chagres, Cuba, which town they find Morgan has taken under the English flag. From here the Black Eagle, with Morgan's fleet proceeds to Panama. The command consists of about 1,200 men. Having landed, they march on the city. The assault on the city is begun. Many of the buccaneers fall, and Ardiek is wounded. Through the smoke he sees Pradey approaching. The city at last falls. Ardiek, coming to, finds Tym has rescued him from Pradey's murderous hand by killing the villain. The Spanish flag is hoisted, hauled down from the castle and the men allowed to plunder the city at will. Mac Ivrah spies a figure coming toward them, and exclaims: "The ghost of the captain." It is indeed Sellinger. He recounts his late adventures, then he leads them to the residence of Don Enrique de Cavodilla, who had been kind to him on the *Pilanca*, the Spanish vessel on which he had been a prisoner. Flight is the only course open to the don, his wife and daughter. (Don Cavodilla's men to enter. Selling shortly to join the don, they come upon his dead body.

CHAPTER XVI.

OF THE FLIGHT OF THE DON AND HIS PARTY AND THE DILEMMA THAT CAPT. TOWLAND PUT US IN, LIKEWISE OF A DREADFUL DISCOVERY.

"Senor," interposed Dona Carmen, "it may be that I have thought of something. My house is on the island of Taboga, which is out yonder in the bay. Could we reach it we might hide in a certain wine cellar, which I am almost sure a few moments' labor would make secret. I had remained and hidden in it, indeed, only I was persuaded the city was safer. Could we but reach the water I believe we could secure a boat, and so reach the island."

"You are brave, senorita," I said, for I could not help admiring this command of her wits at such a time. "But I fear your plan would not serve. For one thing, where would you obtain a boat? Our men must have seized them all."

She faltered a moment, but again her wonderful dark eyes lighted, and she answered eagerly:

"But the fisher village? I conceive there must be boats there. It is above half a league from here, and I am sure your hands have not gone so far. Moreover, it has nothing to tempt robbery. Ah, could we but reach the village!"

"Why, so you shall, if the thing is to be mortally compassed!" I cried in a burst of great pity and compassion. "Stay a moment," I went on, "and I will take counsel with my comrades."

In the fewest words possible I repeated our talk and stated her plan.

"I believe they might fetch out upon the beach," said Sellinger, "for, as I have told you, there is a pretty quiet way to it, but the rub comes afterward."

"Captain," put in Mac Ivrah, who had been quietly listening, "what think ye o' a disguise? Clap the hale three into aded claes, pitting the women in breeks, and damb a bit o' smut on their faces. Our laddies will have their drop lang syne, and gae aboot wi' no sharp cen."

"Why, that is not so bad," said the

captain, brightening. "What say you, Mr. Tym and Ardiek?"

"It is at least something definite," said Mr. Tym; "I am for trying it, on the whole."

I agreed with him, and without more ado turned to Don Enrique and the ladies and put the business into Spanish.

They listened eagerly and lost no time in deciding. Indeed, they barely took the words off my tongue ere they broke out in consent. But, in fact, it was easy to see by their anxious looks and pale cheeks that they were desperate enough for almost anything.

This was a great relief to us, for certainly we had nothing left to turn to, unless it might be some desperate action, and that with no reasonable hope of success.

I saw the senorita and the other incline their heads a moment, as though in prayer, and the don murmured something under his heavy mustache.

I think we were not two minutes off the stairs when a confused and swelling sound of voices, and on unbarring one of the neighbor windows I immediately detected the loud rough tones of some of the buccaneers. They were approaching the house, though as yet the high wall hid them from view.

"The fellows are upon us," I called softly to the others.

They hurried into the room and stood by my shoulder.

There could be no mistake about it. The buccaneers were coming along by the wall and were already close upon the gate. Where we stood the trees cut off the view, but the sound was certain and distinct.

"They will scarce give this place the slight, whoever they are," said Mr. Tym. "Should they be the same rascals that fell upon the don we must hear speedily from them."

"In that case they shall hear from us, also," said the captain, grimly.

"Hark!" I cried, "they are already at the gate!"

This was indeed true, for now we could hear their banging and bawling. "It will be a bit before the gate yields," said Mr. Tym. "Pray Heaven they batter at it awhile, and give our friends the better start!"

"But they will not long back and fill there," said Sellinger. "If nobody opens they will be over the wall. I wish the don would hasten."

"They are coming at last," I said, much relieved, as the door into the rearward rooms opened.

The don, followed by the others, came out, and I perceived they were ready.

This was the manner of their disguise—the old don wore a kind of Dutch coat belted about the waist and extending to the tops of a pair of rough sea boots, and on his head was a great flapping hat with the fore-brim lopped down. His face and hands were smeared with dirt, and under his arm he carried an old basket.

The ladies were attired in a somewhat similar fashion. Dona Isabella wore a long coat and heavy boots (her skirts she had, of course, discarded), and the rest of her visible dress consisted of an old cap with side flaps and a curly wig. The wig was tucked chiefly under the cap, and at a glance might well pass for her proper hair. She had bedaubed her face and hands and carried a fisher's spear. As for poor Fona Carmen, I observed that she had put on a kind of mixed garb, consisting of a high straw hat, a blue jacket, a long knit vest, coarse hose and well-worn knickerbockers. She had smutted her face and hands, and carried over her shoulder a well-stuffed bag the seeming weight of which made her stoop a little, so that her face was not quite revealed.

"They must hasten," exclaimed Mr. Tym. "It is a wonder our fellows are not already at the door. Fetch a good look rearward, Ardiek, to see that the coast is clear, and after that no delay."

I was only too willing to obey, for the case indeed pressed, and with the single word "Come" to the don, I flew to the rearward door and unbarricaded it. A considerable court, walled in on both sides, extended to the little rearward street. From here it was the first and most dangerous stage of the journey to the shore.

"God reward you all!" said the don, with a sign of his hand in farewell; and he stepped bravely out. His companions followed, not forgetting a fervent "Adios!" and we stood in the door and in a silence of anxiety saw them pass down the court.

Nothing as yet appeared, and presently they were at the opening of the street. Another breath of suspense and they had rounded the corner.

"By Heaven, happily compassed!" exclaimed the captain, with a great breath of relief.

"It is, indeed, a good start," said Mr. Tym, himself giving over something of his anxious bearing.

"I trust the disguises will serve," I said, with a sigh. "In truth, they were not of the best."

But at this point we heard a loud shouting from the front of the house. "Ah, our fellows are in," said Mr. Tym; and forthwith we shut and barred this door and hastened to the other.

Mr. Tym proved to be right. On opening the wicket we saw one leaf of the gate open, and the buccaneers crowding in.

The captain looked inquiringly at Mr. Tym, and fetched a good courageous breath, and Mac Ivrah and I saw to our weapons. Of course we had no wish to fight, but we could not tell what our reckless and angry comrades might attempt, and were resolved to be prepared.

"We must parley with them," said Mr. Tym. "All will gain time."

"Do you be spokesman," said the captain. "Here they come, and well swollen with choler or I have no eyes!"

He stepped aside, giving way to the supercargo, and as he did so I heard

the heavy slap of the approaching feet. "The leader is that ferocious Towland," Mr. Tym turned his head to say. As he did so the gang appeared to halt, and the voice of the fierce captain hailed us:

"Within, there! How dare you hold thus against us? Open, or it will go very ill with you!"

"And why say you so?" Mr. Tym immediately put his face to the wicket and coolly answered. "Have we not as good a right to the loot of this place as you?"

"Why, 'tis the little graybeard!" cried one man; and at that they made a stir of their arms, letting the butts of their guns fall, and there was a bit of silence.

"We were not aware that our own people were in possession," I heard Towland then, in a surly and vexed tone, reply. "Nevertheless," he went on, "we have the right to come in, so open the door."

"Why, look you," answered Mr. Tym—and I could see by the wrinkling of his side face that he was smiling—"I can not recall that there is any rule against bolting and barring. Suppose one were intent on the capture of a slave, for instance, must he needs let everybody in while he is about it? Slaves, you are aware, are not common spoil, as are goods and money."

"Nay, this is all idle talk and away from the purpose!" said Towland, impatiently. "Open the door, and be speedy about it, or the business will reach further than words!"

"Let me at least confer with my friends," answered Mr. Tym, still speaking moderately. "I am not alone in this matter."

"Speedy counsels, then," growled Towland. "We will not be put off."

"Well, friends," said Mr. Tym, facing about and preserving his same voice and manner, "what say you? You have heard Capt. Towland's demand."

"For my part," said the captain, raising his voice so that those outside could hear, "I desire a little time for deliberation. I would know my rights, and if I am to lower my colors, wherefore?"

"Awel," said Mac Ivrah, speaking up in his turn, "and see it strikes myself. I wadna come to decide in a blink."

"Which is my thought likewise," I promptly put in.

"You hear," said Mr. Tym, speaking again from the wicket. "My companions are not clear of their course. They would have a little time for reflection. So, in truth, would I."

The fellows broke into murmurs of rage, and two or three roundly swore.

"Look you," cried Towland, in a kind of desperation, and yet with a

certain measure of rough entreaty, as I thought, "we will not be cozened. We have rights here. Nay, to come to the heart of the matter, we want the old don and the woman. We pursued them yesterday, and but for a twist of luck at the pinch would have had them. I myself all but secured the young senorita. You will perceive, therefore, that we have the first right here, and, like sensible men, will abandon your contention. Aye, to give you the final proof, the owner of this house is Don Enrique de Cavodilla, and it was his niece—though my memory betrays her name—that I laid hands on. By our laws a slave seized is a slave passed to ownership, and that you well know."

Mr. Tym turned back to us, his countenance grown serious.

"This is not well. I fear the rascal has the right of it—I mean as to the rule."

"I am sure of it," said I, reluctantly. "I have a clear thought of how it runs."

"Then, if they have the right to claim the slaves, I conceive they have the further right to come in and search for them," said Mr. Tym, with a vexed gesture. "Well, say ye yield? To refuse would be to avail no one, and I conceive our friends now have a very hopeful start."

We were compelled to agree with him, and without further words he unbarricaded and opened the door.

Towland and his men sullenly pressed in, and we giving back, they quickly filled all the fore part of the hall. Towland looked at us with a lowering brow, but said nothing, and the men after a brief staring about made forward and began to scatter over the house.

Towland seemed to hang in the wind for a bit, and at first I thought he meant to say something to us, but if so he changed his mind, for, in the end, he wheeled about and followed some of his crew up the stairs.

We exchanged significant glances, but for a little did not budge, wishing to avoid any dangerous seeming of haste. At last as none of the men returned—the most of them were now above, where we could hear them knocking about and calling to one another—we passed a whispered word, and all stole quietly out. As we made down the walk I heard a considerable noise, and thought that the men were

demolishing some doors or partitions, but fortunately no further heed seemed to be paid to us.

Fetching at last into the street, we turned in the direction of the water and pushed along at a sharp walk. It was in all our minds, though we stayed not to talk about it, to gain the first leftward street or passage, and thence continue till we obtained some knowledge or were satisfied of the safety of the fugitives. We at last came to the leftward turning street, and gladly turned the corner, and broke into a run.

"I think they have got fairly off," said the captain with a breath of relief. "It is clear the buccaneers have not yet penetrated to this quarter, and the time is more than sufficient to fetch the beach."

"I would not croak," said I, "but I am less hopeful. There is the guard on the ships, who might easily espy them, and then our straggling parties are poking about in all directions."

"We can soon learn how the matter has gone," said Mr. Tym. "We have but to continue to the water side, and proceed a little way from there toward this fisher village. If we see and hear nothing amiss we may rest in reasonable content that they are safe."

"Well, we would not turn back without that assurance," said I. "Let us proceed."

We pushed on down this street, accordingly, and when we had come into the next turned to the left, and so continued to the outskirts of the town. We learned nothing of moment, or touching the business in hand, and, thinking it of no use to proceed farther, and, indeed, supposing it might not be prudent to do so (lest we might be spied upon by some of Towland's party), we descended to the beach, and so walked for a time up and down.

After some little time, it being now near noon, and we beginning to be hungry, we thought it best to return to the castle. We bent our steps that way, therefore, and might have proceeded a fourth part of the distance when Mac Ivrah suddenly gave a little cry.

"Look yonder! Nay, nay! a's amiss!"

We hastily sprang to his side, for he was standing at the moment on a bit of ledge, while we were below, and to our horror discovered what it was that had fetched out the cry. In a kind of little depression, and partly hidden by the overhanging crest of the ledge, lay the corpse of Don Enrique de Cavodilla!

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NIGHTCAPPED BEFORE QUEEN.

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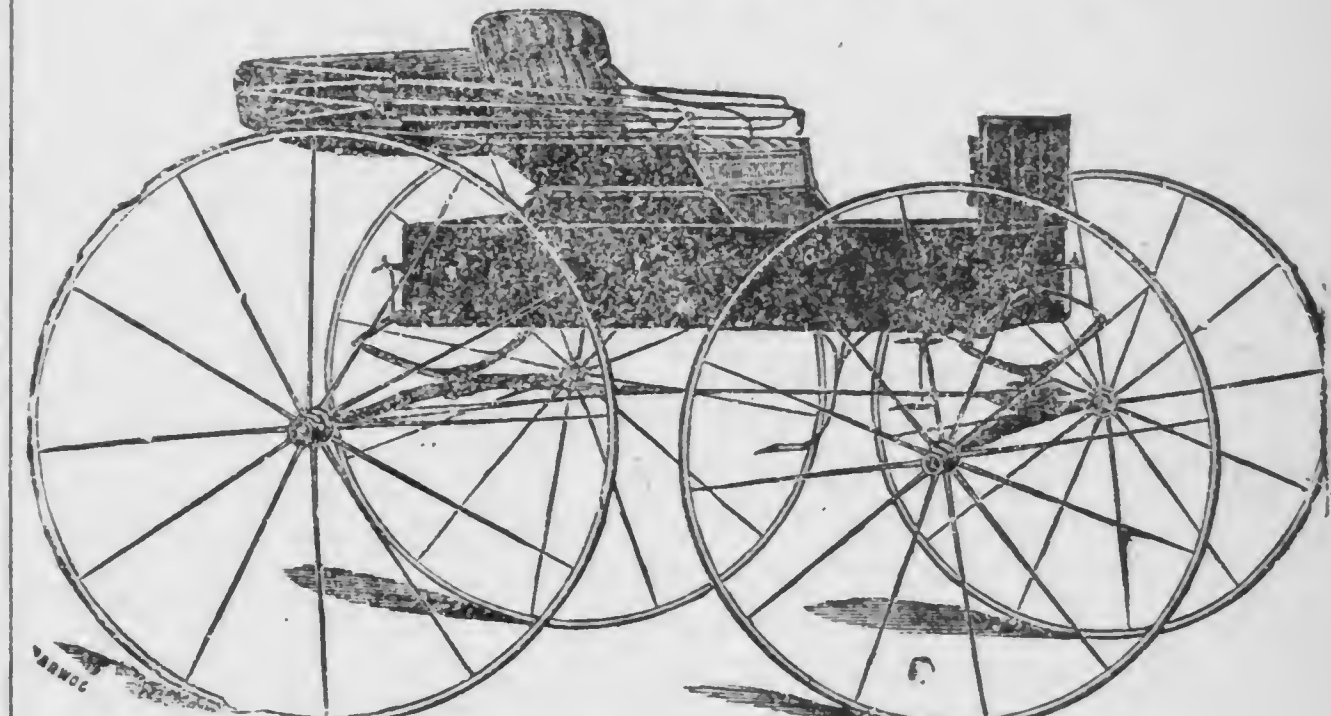
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FOR MAGISTRATE.

We are authorized to announce THOS. P. WOODS as a candidate for re-election as Magistrate of the Paris Precinct, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce J. W. THOMAS, Jr., as a candidate for Magistrate of the Paris Precinct, to fill the unexpired term of R. J. Neely, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Champ & Miller is by mutual consent this day dissolved. Bruce Miller retiring from the business. All debts due the late firm of Champ & Miller are to be paid to Walter Champ, and claims against the late firm of Champ & Miller are to be presented to him for settlement.

WALTER CHAMP,
BRUCE MILLER.

PARIS, KY., May 18, 1899.

New Firm.

The undersigned have this day formed a partnership under the style of Champ & Bro., and as such will conduct the publication of THE BOURBON NEWS.

WALTER CHAMP,
SWIFT CHAMP.

PARIS, KY., May 18, 1899.

Retrospective and Prospective.

Mr. Bruce Miller, late of THE BOURBON NEWS, has connected himself with the *Kentuckian* Citizen newspaper and will hereafter be identified with that publication. Mr. Wm. Remington having withdrawn from the concern. Col. J. G. Craddock will remain as editor of the *Kentuckian* Citizen.

In this connection the undersigned desire to inform the public that they will in the future conduct THE BOURBON NEWS in the same conservative way which has in the past won it a high standing in the estimation of the public.

In a conservative way THE BOURBON NEWS will continue to advocate what it believes to be best for the city of Paris, for the people of Bourbon and for the Democratic party.

As in the past THE BOURBON NEWS will be issued every Tuesday and Friday, giving all of the news, when it is possible, before it has been printed by its competitors.

The retiring member of the firm has been honorably connected with THE BOURBON NEWS since it was established almost nineteen years ago by Bruce Champ, deceased, and has been a partner in the business since the latter's death. The business yesterday passed into the hands of the sons of the founder of THE NEWS just seven years after his death.

THE NEWS wishes Mr. Miller much success in his new business, and congratulates Col. Craddock on securing such an efficient gentleman for an associate.

THE NEWS assures its readers and patrons that it will be up to its usual standard in point of news and typographical neatness, and hopes to merit a continuation of the liberal patronage it has always received.

WALTER CHAMP,
SWIFT CHAMP.

Prize Winners.

[Covington Commonwealth.]

Among the visitors to Covington and Cincinnati this week were J. E. Sellers, of Carlisle; L. E. Ronse, of Paris; J. Stuart Humphrey, of Frankfort, and J. L. Warren, Lancaster. The gentlemen won the four prizes offered by the Blue Grass Grocery Company to its local managers for the largest sales in the company's stores in this state. The prizes were a suit of clothes, trips to Cincinnati and a "general good time."

Yes, 'Tis Just So!

ALL WOOL MEANS ALL WOOL.

And a bargain is a bargain here. Our clothing is above suspicion. It carries the guarantee of the manufacturers. Think of this when you need a suit. You will get an honest suit here.

There never was a better time to get better clothes at better prices than right now and right here.

PARKER & JAMES,

Fourth and Main Sts., Paris, Ky.

Your Money Back On Demand.

NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Solemnizations of The Marriage Vows.

Edward Trabue, of Kiserston, and Miss Katie Seavers, of West Covington, were married Wednesday by Rev. Dr. E. H. Rutherford, at the latter's residence.

Mrs. Maley Brinbridge Crist, the Kentucky author, was married Tuesday to A. C. Shaw, of Washington, D. C. at the home of her cousin, the Hon. George M. Echelberger of Urbana, O. The wedding was a beautiful one. The bride is known to many persons in this city.

OBITUARY.

Respectfully Dedicated To The Memory Of The Dead.

Joseph B. Kenney, aged about thirty-six, died in Fayette at the home of his father W. M. Kenney. Funeral services will be held at the residence this morning at ten o'clock, and the remains will be brought to Paris for interment. The deceased is a brother of Mrs. Risque formerly Miss Ida Kenney, who has many friends in this city.

Shooting at Richmond.

CAPT. JOHN FEENEY, Chief of Police at Richmond, and father of J. D. Feeny, of this city, was shot at Richmond Tuesday by A. S. Harris, while standing talking to some friends. Capt. Feeny had arrested and jailed Harris that morning for assaulting Wolf Katz, a merchant. Harris gave bond later, and approached Capt. Feeny from behind and shot him without warning in the left leg. The bullet cut nine holes in Capt. Feeny's clothes, but the wound is not serious. Capt. Feeny was unharmed at the time, having left his pistol at home by accident.

Harris defied arrest for awhile, but finally surrendered to the Sheriff. The shooting was wholly unexpected to Capt. Feeny, who is absolutely fearless. After the shooting Capt. Feeny ran a half block to get a weapon, but was prevented by friends from returning to the scene.

FORMER Senator Pfeiffer has returned to the Republican fold.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY has started a new fashion of having his trousers creased from the knees down.

CUBA is becoming Americanized very rapidly. Baseball is becoming very popular and the natives are getting in the game and using baseball slang like boys to the diamond born.

The city of Mt. Sterling, which has furnished both the Democratic and Republican candidates for Railroad Commissioner of this district, has come to the front with another candidate for a State office. He is Thos. Young, and he wants to be the Republican nominee for Secretary of State.

The Democratic candidates for nomination for Governor might learn a valuable lesson from the Republican candidates. The latter have decided not to go on the stump and lambast each other, because they don't believe the proceeding conducive to harmony when the voting time comes.

The initial number of the Kentucky Historical and Genealogical Magazine, published monthly by Messrs. Polk & Peay at Lexington, Ky., is an excellent publication, neatly printed, which will be of peculiar interest to Kentuckians. The price is two dollars per year, twenty cents per single copy.

LOUISVILLE may be well called the Convention City of the South. For the past few weeks there has been some sort of a convention in session in the Falls City almost every day. This week they had six conventions, and last week she captured the Confederate reunion for next year. Louisville seems to boom in spite of her politicians and Sam Jones.

These Candidates Won't Speak.

Attorney General Taylor, Judge Pratt and Auditor Stone, candidates for the Republican nomination for Governor, have decided that they will not go on the stump and abuse one another. They think that their party may get together this Fall, but if they go out to stump the State they might fall out and disrupt the party.

High School Commencement.

The third annual commencement of the Paris High School will be held on Friday, June 9th. The salutatory oration will be delivered by Miss Lizzie "Lily Stone," and her subject will be "Near to The Nation's Heart." George Doyle will deliver the class oration, "The Fate of The Nation," and Miss Frankie Marsh will recite "The True Grandeur of Nations." Miss Georgia Glines will deliver the valedictory address, and the honorary address will be made by Superintendent Rogers Clay, of Lexington.

On Thursday evening, June 8th, the seniors will celebrate the first class day, in the school chapel. The program will be as follows:

PROGRAM.

Piano solo.....Miss Lizzie C. Stone
Recitation.....Miss Mary Austin
H. J. Jordan.....Miss Florence Beale
G. Ambler.....Miss Ollie Butler
Prophet.....Miss Eddie Schrote
Vocal solo.....Miss Bessie Hunt
Oration.....Mr. E. L. Makibben
Counselor.....Miss Laura Gaper
Poet.....Mr. Robert Fried
Gittorian.....Miss Sallie Whaley
Song—"Old Kentucky Home".....Class

STOCK AND TURF NEWS.

Sales and Transfers of Stock, Crops, Etc. Turf Notes.

The Winchester Democrat says that the wheat yield in Clark will be ninety per cent of an average crop.

The Kentucky Trotting Horse Breeders Association offers \$80,000 in stakes and purses to be trotted for at the October meeting.

Talbot Bros.' colt Eberhardt won a \$300 purse Monday at Louisville. J. K. Redmon's horse Lord Zeni won a race Tuesday.

Kriss Kringle, a horse which Gene Porter sold last year at public sale for \$35, has won his ninth race at the Newport track.

ATTENTION is directed to the advertisement of public sale of L. Grinnan's residence on Henderson street, to be sold publicly June 10th.

The Sentinel-Democrat reports 300 cattle on the market at Mt. Sterling court, and sales slow, the best cattle bringing five to six cents. Jas. Sharp, of Bourbon, bought eleven 500-lb. steers at \$12 each and Mat Long eleven calves at \$11.75 each.

A Kentucky crop report says: "Wheat is doing very well, and while it will not give an average yield, it will be much better than was expected early in the season. Oats are doing well in some localities, but not so well in others. Corn planting has been badly delayed by the rain, but that planted is doing very well and looks promising."

Russell B. Munro, a wealthy Englishman, has purchased conditionally nine yearlings from Col. Milton Young at Lexington. He had a photograph of the fifteen yearlings he liked best at McGrathiana taken and when he returns home he and his trainer will select from the photograph nine which will be purchased by cable. The price is said to be a long one.

Carried to Chicago in Private Rooms.

Passengers from Cincinnati and Louisville to Chicago over Pennsylvania Short Lines may experience that pleasure surrounded by the comforts of up-to-date travel. Pullman Compartment Sleeping Cars running over these short lines offer opportunity for this novel and delightful experience. Special information furnished on application to Geo. E. ROCKWELL, A. G. P. Agt., Cincinnati, O.

THE prettiest and most stylish colors and shapes in shoes at Davis, Thomson & Isgrig's—just received. (tf)

A new line of collars and ties for ladies, at Price & Co's, clothiers. (tf)

GOSSIPY PARAGRAPHS.

Theatrical And Otherwise Remark In The Foyer.

The Earl of Strafford, who married the wealthy Mrs. Samuel J. Colgate, of New York, last December was killed near London Tuesday night by an express train.

Viola Allen will not be seen in "The Christian" next season in the East. She will play the entire season in the West, opening in St. Louis. Robert Drouet will be her leading snapper, in the character of "John Storm."

Three American women, Mrs. Alfred Parrieh and Miss Parrieh, both of Philadelphia, and Miss Mary Stillman, of New York, were presented Tuesday at the Queen's Drawing Room, in London. Mrs. Parrieh is a sister of Mrs. Choate, wife of the United States Ambassador.

THE ladies of Paris and Bourbon county are cordially invited to inspect an elegant line of juvenile suits, from 3 to 8 years, and boys' suits from 8 to 15 years, at Price & Co's, clothiers. (tf)

If you expect to do any white-washing this spring don't use anything but Blue River line. It is by far the whitest line made. For sale by Geo. W. Stuart, opposite freight depot. (tf)

LINEN hats for men and boys, at Price & Co's, clothiers. (tf)

Low prices on candies for entertainments. Cheap but pure. (tf) NEWTON MITCHELL.

Beautiful Women

There are few women as beautiful as they might be. Powder and paint and cosmetics don't make good looks. Beauty is simply an impossibility without health. Beautiful women are few because healthy women are few. The way to have a fair face and a well-rounded figure is to take

Bradfield's Female Regulator

This is that old and time-tried medicine that cures all female troubles and weaknesses and drains. It makes no difference what the doctors call the trouble, if there is anything the matter in the distinctly feminine organs, Bradfield's Female Regulator will help and cure it. It is good for irregular or painful menstruation; for leucorrhoea, for falling of the womb, for nervousness, headache, backache and dizziness. Take it and get well. Then your old-time girlish features and figure will be restored.

Sold by druggists for \$1 a bottle.
THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.
ATLANTA, GA.

LIEUTENANT HENRY CASEY, of the Third Kentucky, passed through Paris yesterday en route to Cythiana for a visit to his wife, at the home of J. W. McIlvaine, his father-in-law. Dr. Casey is in fine health and says he enjoyed his four months' stay in Cuba. The Third Kentucky was mustered out Tuesday at Savannah.

OVER at Nashville, Ind., Tuesday one of the local ball players was almost killed in a game with the Boston Bloomer girls who played here recently. One of the girls batted a ball which struck the Nashville pitcher in the face and knocked him out for some time. He lost several teeth and has a badly bruised face.

HOWARD stiff and soft hats, at \$3—best in the country for the money. Stetson—the reliable, soft and stiff \$2—best hat in Kentucky for the money. A complete line of Spring hats from fifty cents upwards. (tf) PRICE & Co., Clothiers.

A new line of silk ties, for 25 cents, at Price & Co's, clothiers. (tf)

GENTLEMEN'S balbriggan underwear for Summer, at fifty cents a suit, at Price & Co's. (t)

MILLET, Hungarian and early amber sugar cane seed for sale by Geo. W. Stuart, opposite freight depot. (tf)

YOU are specially invited to see those Leghorn hats, reduced to 57c, 78c and 87c, worth \$1.50 and \$2.00, at Mrs. N. N. Brown's. (1f)

FOUND—A fraternity pin with initials engraved on back. Owner can get same by proving property and paying for advertisement.

Don't scratch your life away, but use Dr. Sawyer's Witch Hazel and Arnica salve for eczema, piles, hives, burns and cuts. It soothes, relieves pain and positively cures. W. T. Brooks, druggist.

LADIES' fine shoes less than half price this week at Davis, Thompson & Isgrig's. (tf)



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REMOVES THE
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NESS AND
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IT STRENGTHENS THE
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BLOOD,
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NERVES
AND GIVES LIFE TO THE
LUNGS.

Ready-To-Wear Garments.

Ready to Wear garments for ladies are becoming more popular every day.

Ladies' Suits and Separate Skirts.

Anticipating that Ready to wear Suits and Skirts would be in great demand this season, we bought largely of both lines from the very best manufacturing Ladies' Tailors in the United States.

Every garment we sell is guaranteed to prove satisfactory. If they don't fit we have them altered without extra cost to you. Our business reputation is such that a guarantee from us means that if you buy and your purchase is not just as represented we will make it ALL RIGHT.

Silk Waists.

Shirt Waists.

Silk and Cotton Petticoats.

Our Silk Waists are dreams of beauty and the prices very low.

Shirt Waists, Silk and Cotton Petticoats in great variety.

No trouble to show goods.

It's no trouble to show goods. That's what we are here for. Call and look and if we can't suit you we won't ask you to buy.

Respectfully,

FRANK & CO.

Leaders in Style and Fashion,

404 MAIN STREET, - - - PARIS, KY.



It is for YOU to judge whether or no I am offering the best and cheapest line of STRAW MATTINGS ever brought to Central Kentucky.

If PRICES, QUALITY and ASSORTMENT of PATTERNS don't tell you to BUY, don't do it, that's all.

And CARPETS—well, no advertisement can do justice to the beauty of design, richness of coloring and lowness of price. You will have to SEE them to appreciate them. Come in and take a look, it will cost you nothing.

And then I have the WALL PAPERS to match the carpets and mattings. They are prettier this year than ever and that is saying a great deal. No one can touch my line either in patterns or prices. I can show two patterns to any other dealer's one. An experienced Interior Decorator always at your service.

Work guaranteed.

Then bear in mind I am always showing a large and exclusive line of Baby Carriages, Bed Room sets, Chiffoniers, Toilet Sets, Lamps, Hammocks, Ladies' Desks, Book Cases and anything else pertaining to the house furnishing line.

The best REFRIGERATOR is the NORTH STAR. Sold only by

J. T. HINTON.

Elegant line of Pictures and Room Mouldings. Send me your old furniture to be repaired. Your furniture moved by experienced hands. Wood Mantels furnished complete. Undertaking in all its branches. Embalming scientifically attended to. CARRIAGES FOR HIRE.

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[Payable in Advance.]

One year.....\$2.00 Six months.....\$1.00

Make all Checks, Money Orders, Etc., payable to the order of CHAMP & MILLER.

THE L. & N. pay train was here Tuesday.

A full line of Sansuk at Mrs. Nannie Brown's. (1t)

SAM JONES will lecture in Lexington Monday night.

JACOB SPEARS, of Mt. Airy avenue, is clerking at Wallace's Bargain Store.

THE L. & N. will sell round trip tickets to Maysville May 24, 25 and 26, at one fare on account of the street fair.

THE Kentucky Dentists held their annual meeting this week at the Mammoth Cave. None of the Paris dentists were present.

A new time card went into effect Sunday on the L. & N., but there were no changes in the arrival or departure of trains at Paris.

QUARTERLY court was in session Tuesday at the Court house. Judge Harmon Stitt was elected Judge pro tem in absence of Judge Purnell.

ROBT. C. GOREY, foreman of engines in the L. & N. yards, in this city, will address a meeting of the Railroad Men's Political Club in Covington, Monday.

THE banks of Versailles have postponed with the City Council on taxes for the years '94 to '99, inclusive, by paying eighty per cent., less \$1,000 for the years previous to '97.

MISS JENNIE HANSON, formerly of this city, has purchased a lot on Clifton Heights, in Lexington, for \$300. Miss Amy Richardson, formerly of Millersburg, bought one for \$125.

The pension department has unearthed a scheme by which thousands of colored people are being defrauded, the promoters claimed to be able to secure a federal pension for bona fide ex-slaves.

THE "Rosebud Club" of Miss Bettie Ingels' school will have its annual open session Tuesday night at Old Fellows' Hall, beginning at eight o'clock. The entertainment will close with a cake walk.

It was telegraphed yesterday from Frankfort that Chas. Bronston and Jack Chinn have buried the hatchet and that Col. Bronston will have the "Common nuisance" warrant against Chinn dismissed.

REV. F. J. CHEEK goes to Maysville Saturday to take part in the installation on Sunday of Rev. John Barbour, D. D., the new pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Mr. Cheek delivers the charge to the pastor.

On Saturday Mr. Ernest Butler will have on exhibition at C. B. Mitchell's grocery the celebrated Quick Process Coffee Pot. Every lover of good coffee is invited to call and try a cup of delicious coffee made in this pot. (1t)

W. H. WILSON, general agent of the Bluegrass Fire Insurance Co., is at the Windsor Hotel and is laboring in interest of his company. Attention is directed to his ad in another column. Mr. Wilson will make a canvass of this county.

On account of the repairs going on in the main audience room of the First Presbyterian Church there will be no preaching services there on Sunday morning or evening. The Sunday School will be held as usual in the lecture room.

THE Leader last night said that the Elks would present the opera "Polly" in Paris next week if the Paris people will guarantee the company's expenses. The opera is very unusual and pretty and the Elks give it in admirable style. The company would play to a good house here. Come on with "Polly."

The famous Wills will case, involving an estate valued at \$30,000, was ended Tuesday at Winchester by an agreed judgment establishing the validity of the will and allowing the contestant's \$1,000. The suit was brought 15 years ago. It has been through the Court of Appeals two or three times and the costs, including lawyers' fees, aggregate three or four thousand dollars.

Ribbon And Flower Sale.

DON'T forget Mrs. Nannie Brown's ribbon and flower sale this week. Elegant ribbons, 24 cents per yard. (1t)

FANCY California evaporated fruits. (tf) NEWTON MITCHELL.

AN entire new line of gentlemen's belts from one of the best manufacturers in the United States on sale at Price & Co's, clothiers. (tf)

Paris Odd Fellow Honored.

THE annual grand encampment of Kentucky Odd Fellows convened Wednesday at Maysville with about seventy-five delegates present. The visitors were royally entertained by Maysville and were given a splendid banquet Wednesday night.

In electing officers for the next year Mr. E. B. January, of this city, was honored by being elected Grand High Priest, the second highest office in the Kentucky Grand Lodge. The new officers are: R. J. Wills, of Covington, Grand Patriarch; E. B. January, of Paris, High Priest; J. W. Groves, of Mt. Sterling, Senior Warden; Charles Tucker, of Newport, Junior Warden; R. G. Elliott, of Lexington, Scribe; George W. Morris, of Louisville, Treasurer; William H. Cox, of Maysville, Grand Representative; G. R. Woodring, of Morganfield, Marshal; T. L. Metcalfe, of Covington, Sentinel; W. R. Smith, of Maysville, Guardian.

There are thirty-eight encampments in Kentucky, with nearly 1,400 members. Mt. Sterling was chosen over Newport and Covington as a meeting place for next year.

Imperial Encampment, No. 63, of this city, was represented by Messrs. E. B. January, Wm. Nichols, and H. O. James.

Ordination Services.

Mr. Hal E. Spears, of this city, who has been attending the General Theological Seminary, in New York, arrived home last night, and expects to be ordained as a minister of the Episcopal Church Sunday morning at St. Peter's Church. Rev. J. S. Meredith, the pastor, will present Mr. Spears, and he will be ordained by the Rt. Rev. Bishop Lewis W. Barton.

The regular morning service will begin at a quarter to ten, and the ordination will begin at a quarter to eleven. Rev. Chapin, of Maysville, will preach ordination sermon, and the newly ordained minister will preach at the night services. He will have charge of the Episcopal Church at Danville.

Dedication And Social Session.

THE Paris Elk Lodge will dedicate its elegant new lodge room in the third story of the Lavin & Connell building on the corner of Main and Eighth street, Tuesday night, and the ceremonies will be followed by a social session and a banquet. A letter from Cynthia says that fifteen Elks from that city are coming up to meet with the Paris Elks on that night. There will likely be Elks from Lexington and other cities present on the same evening.

Messrs. James Ferguson and Henry Lilliston were initiated into the order Tuesday night, and several new petitions were received. The lodge is having a steady and substantial growth.

City Property Sold.

Yesterday auctioneer A. T. Forsyth sold three pieces of Paris property for Master Commissioner E. M. Dickson.

The house and lot on corner of Eighth and Main street, belonging to G. G. White and the lovely estate, was sold to G. G. White for \$3,500.

Also a house and lot, on High street, thirty-eight feet front, belonging to the lovely estate, sold to J. B. Northcott, for \$950.

Also, store-room on High street, belonging to lovely estate, to Jesse Lovel; for \$801.

Bourbon's Assessment.

THE State Board of Equalization recently raised Bourbon's assessment on farm lands and personality six per cent. Yesterday a committee composed of J. B. Kennedy, H. C. Current and Assessor W. G. McClintock, appeared before the State Board and secured a reduction of three per cent in the assessment.

School Announcement For 1899-1900.

THE select preparatory school for young ladies established several years ago by the late Mrs. Blanche Alexander and conducted so successfully by her until her death, and since then continued so ably by Mrs. Florence Lockhart, will reopen on Monday Sept. 4th, 1899. The new opening will be in charge of Miss Frances V. Butler of this city, who for a number of years was one of Miss Tipton's brightest pupils and who for the past three years has been a close student of State College at Lexington, Ky., from which institution she graduates on the first of June next. Miss Butler comes highly recommended by President Patterson and the entire faculty of State College and is in every way qualified for the undertaking. The school will be organized and the classes arranged under the supervision of Mrs. Lockhart and will be conducted throughout on that same high plane upon which it was originated with the single aim and purpose of confining permanently in this city and community a first class preparatory school for young ladies.

A commodious school building, centrally located and fitted up with all modern appliances will be secured.

For further particulars call on Mrs. Lockhart at her school room or address Miss Frances V. Butler, Lock Box 206, Paris, Ky.

PERSONAL MENTION.

COMERS AND GOERS OBSERVED BY THE NEWS MAN.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—Mr. Sam Clay was in Cincinnati on business Wednesday.

—Mr. John B. Kennedy was a visitor in Frankfort yesterday.

—Mr. T. H. Talbott attended the races yesterday at Louisville.

—Mrs. Arch Paxton, who has been quite ill, is improving nicely.

—W. C. Jones of Mt. Sterling, was in the city Tuesday on business.

—Banker N. H. Witherspoon, of Winchester, was in the city yesterday.

—Mrs. Lan Fretwell, of Huntington, W. Va., is the guest of Mrs. W. L. Davis.

—Mrs. T. E. Ashbrook entertained at six handed euchre yesterday afternoon.

—Mrs. G. S. Allen, of Millersburg, was the guest of relatives in this city yesterday.

—Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Campbell and babe, of Cincinnati, are visiting relatives in the city.

—Mrs. Dan Moore and daughter, Miss Mary, of Chicago, are guests of Messrs. Dan and Wm. Lenehan.

—Mrs. Robert Ferguson left last night for a visit to her parents, Col. and Mrs. Hugh Anderson, in Georgetown.

—Hon. C. M. Thomas, W. T. Overbey and W. F. Talbott were among the Parisians in Cincinnati Wednesday.

—Mrs. Edward Ditchen, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Wilmoth, left yesterday for her home in Covington.

—Messrs. A. C. Adair and Ernest Richey attended the Knights of Pythias district meeting Wednesday at Richmond.

—Sir Knights Percy Adair, D. W. Peed and Joe Ewalt attended the Knights Templar convale in Louisville this week.

—Mrs. Duke Bowles leaves to-day for Harrodsburg to visit Mrs. Chas. Geffinger, and her baby daughter, who was born last week.

—Mrs. George Lockwood, who has been visiting the family of her father, Mr. R. P. Barnett, left Wednesday for her home in Cincinnati.

—Mr. G. W. Morris, President of the Louisville Gas Co., and Grand Treasurer of the Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows, was in the city yesterday en route from Maysville to Richmond, to visit his daughter, Mrs. J. Stone Walker.

—Mr. John Gaper, one of the most popular and accommodating young men of Paris, who has been connected with G. S. Varden's drug store for many years, has been ill and confined to his room since Monday. His many friends hope his illness will be brief.

—Judge W. M. Purnell writes from Batimore that if his daughter Miss Jennie Kate Purnell continues to improve like she has in the past few days he will bring her home next week. She has been very ill of blood poison and was threatened with typhoid fever. The blood poison was caused by vaccination.

—Mrs. E. C. Long and children leave to-day for California where they will reside in the future. Mr. Long left yesterday to stop over in Chicago on business, and will be joined at that city by his family. The many friends of this charming family regret very much to see them leave Kentucky, but wish them unbounded happiness and prosperity in their California home.

Brainerd & Armstrong silk, 39c per dozen, to-day and to-morrow, at Mrs. Nannie Brown's. (1t)

For salt, sand, cement, etc., go to Geo. Stuart's, opposite freight depot. (1t)

NUTS, raisins, dates, figs, currants, seedless raisins. (tf) NEWTON MITCHELL.

The Strawberry Crop.

THE Tennessee and Southern Kentucky strawberry crop has been the largest this year in the history of these sections.

Chattanooga has been shipping out strawberries by the carload for the past ten days as never before.

The Cincinnati Southern has handled in eight days over 150 carloads, or an average of about twenty carloads a day. The shipping crop is just getting up to Kentucky and the shipment from points south of here will continue a week or ten days longer.

The Kentucky berries this year are very fine specimens and they are very plentiful.

We are the people's friends. We repair your linen and put neck bands on free. REED STEAM LAUNDRY CO.

CRYSTALLIZED fruits, nuts, oranges, lemons, bananas, apples, malaga grapes, grape fruit. (tf) NEWTON MITCHELL.

Rear Admiral Watson, who is to succeed Admiral Dewey in command of the Asiatic squadron, sailed Tuesday from San Francisco on the City of Peking for Manila.

The Insurance Cases.

THE oral argument of attorneys in the case of the Aetna Insurance Company and others against the Commonwealth (the insurance conspiracy test case) was begun Wednesday before the full bench of the Court of Appeals.

Judge Pryor led off in the argument and was followed by Attorney General Taylor, their speeches consuming the time of the court. Yesterday argument was made by Judge Jas. S. Pirtle and W. W. Thum, of Louisville, for the appellants, and Robt. B. Franklin, of Frankfort, for the Commonwealth.

Bankruptcy Petition.

William C. Hawkins, of Jacksonville, this county, Tuesday morning filed a petition in bankruptcy with Clerk Chapman, of the United States Court at Frankfort. Liabilities, \$3,769; assets, \$125. Mann & Ashbrook are the attorneys.

Excursion To Cincinnati.

THE L. & N. will sell tickets Sunday from Paris to Cincinnati at \$1.25 for the round trip. Train will leave at 5.15 a. m., and returning, will leave Grand Central depot in Cincinnati at 7.55 p. m.

DAVIS, THOMSON & ISGRIG have just received an elegant line of latest shapes, styles and colors in ladies' and gentlemen's footwear. (tf)

SCRIVEN'S drawers, at 75 cents, on sale at Price & Co's., clothiers. (tf)

Public Sale

—OF—

City Residence.

I will offer my residence situated on Henderson street for sale, at ten o'clock a. m., on

SATURDAY, JUNE 10, 1899.

House contains seven rooms, kitchen, hall, two porches and large basement, splendid cistern, fruit and shade trees, vines, etc. This is one of the healthiest and most pleasant situations in the city. Within half square of City School. An ideal home for those who wish to educate their children in one of the best schools in Kentucky. Call and see for yourself.

TERMS.—One-third cash, balance equal payments of one and two years, with six per cent. interest on deferred payments. L. GRINNAN.

A. T. FORSYTH, Auctioneer.

Estill Springs

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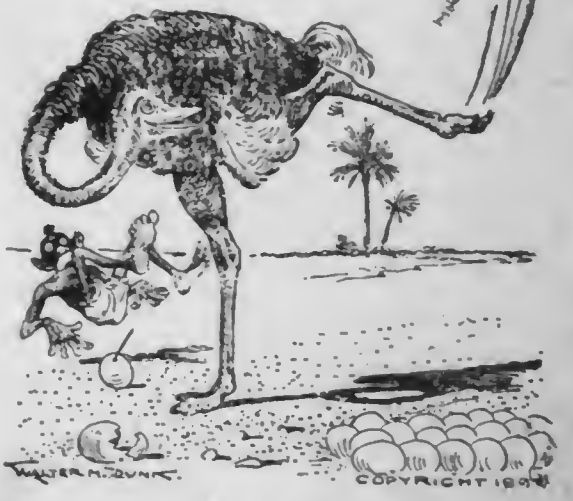
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Ar Philadelphia..... 7:30am 4:10pm	
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Ar Mt. Sterling..... 9:10am 5:40pm	
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5:40	9:50	Ar Philadelphia	Ar Philadelphia
6:20	10:30	Ar New York	Ar New York
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MADE USE OF HIS REVOLVER.

Policeman Baginski, Hemmed in by Angry Italians, Shot and Killed One and Seriously Wounded Others.

CHICAGO, May 18.—In a struggle with a number of Italians, Policeman Baginski Wednesday afternoon shot and killed Baiso Lio and seriously wounded Saverio Lio and Frank Leon. The policeman says he was attacked by half a dozen men and, being hemmed in, was compelled to use his revolver. The friends of the dead and wounded say the shooting was entirely without provocation.

It might have gone hard with Baginski had not Officer Henry Murray, who heard the shooting, come to his assistance. After a hard fight, in which both officers were badly beaten, Murray managed to reach a patrol box and turn in a riot alarm. The crowd dispersed upon the arrival of several patrol wagons filled with blue coats.

MRS. GEORGE IS DENOUNCED.

The Ministers of East Liverpool Vigorously Protest Against Her Lecturing in That City.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., May 18.—If Mrs. Anna George attempts to lecture in this city, as scheduled for Thursday night, she undoubtedly had better prepare for a zero reception. The City Ministers' association called a special meeting and unanimously adopted resolutions protesting against her proposed debut in this city and calling on the people, "in the name of Christian womanhood, the sanctity of the home, the sacredness of motherhood and pure morals, to refrain from encouraging this shameful flaunting of a confessedly wicked life in the faces of good people."

FATAL FIGHT OVER CHILDREN

Near Tiptonville, Tenn., Mrs. Covington Stabs to the Heart Mrs. Mattox and Fatally Wounds Mrs. Edwards.

UNION CITY, Tenn., May 18.—A meager account of a tragedy at Haynes Mill, near Tiptonville, reached here Wednesday night. Three women—a Mrs. Mattox, Mrs. Edwards and Miss Brogdon—waylaid a Mrs. Covington and attacked her with clubs, whereupon the latter drew a knife and stabbed Mrs. Mattox through the heart, killing her instantly. Mrs. Covington then plunged the weapon into the back and lungs of Mrs. Edwards, inflicting fatal injuries. The tragedy grew out of a quarrel among the children of the women.

THE MATCH COMBINATION.

All the Independent Companies Will Be Absorbed by the Diamond Match Co., Including the Continental.

COLUMBUS, O., May 18.—A dispatch from Akron says: An official of the Diamond Match Co. stated here Wednesday that the absorption of all the independent companies by the Diamond company was now practically assured. This includes the Continental (Gould's) company, whose officers have denied that they would be in the deal. There is to be no preferred and common stock in the reorganized company, but the new stock necessary to buy out the other concerns will be all common stock and sold to the present stockholders at par.

Charged With Killing His Wife.

PELHAM, Ga., May 18.—John Harrison, a well to do farmer living near here, has been arrested for the murder of his wife. He was in a field chopping cotton and for some trivial cause became vexed with his wife and struck her on the head with his hoe. With the aid of two Negroes he carried her to the house where she died.

Veterans' Resolutions.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 18.—The New York state encampment of the G. A. R. Wednesday adopted resolutions denouncing as treasonable the actions of "certain citizens who have been giving aid and comfort to the enemy in the Philippines seeking to secure a prolongation of war and bloodshed and creating discontent and doubt among soldiers and sailors in active service."

L. J. Rose Commits Suicide.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 18.—L. J. Rose, formerly a state senator and democratic candidate for congress and one of the best known horse breeders and wine growers in the state, committed suicide Wednesday. He left a letter, explaining his action, but the contents have not yet been made public.

Victims of a Storm.

CEDEAR RAPIDS, Ia., May 18.—Columbia, Delaware county, was practically destroyed by a storm. Two men and a child, names unknown, were killed. It is feared great damage was done in the farming district around Colburg.

Universal Postal Rates.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The postmaster general Wednesday issued an order permitting commercial papers and samples of merchandise to be sent in the mails between Cuba, Porto Rico and the Philippine islands and the United States at universal postal rates.

Stores and Ammunition for Dewey's Fleet.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The United States refrigerating store ship Glacier passed out of quarantine Wednesday, bound for Manila with stores and ammunition for Adm. Dewey's fleet.

AGUINALDO WANTS PEACE.

Reported That He Decides to Accept the Terms of the American Philippine Commissioners.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—A special cablegram to the Globe-Democrat, from Manila, says:

It is reported here that Gen. Aguinaldo has decided to accept the terms of peace offered by the American Philippine commission.

Aguinaldo has started his representatives from San Isidro for Manila. He is said to have reached this decision in a conference held in San Isidro Wednesday.

The battle of San Isidro took place after the decision to accept the terms was reached.

MANILA, May 18.—Maj. Kobbes' column reached San Luis, eight miles up the Rio Grande, Wednesday, meeting with but slight opposition. One man was wounded during a brush with the rebels.

At daybreak the Americans began a further advance toward Candaba, about six miles up the river beyond San Luis.

The insurgents along Gen. MacArthur's front evacuated their positions during the night, presumably moving farther up the railroad.

The 23d infantry has sailed on the transport Leon XIII. for Jolo island to relieve the Spanish garrison there.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The situation of the insurgents, among officials, is considered desperate. MacArthur's division drove them back along the line of the railroad to Dagupan, on the bay of Linga Yen, as far as Calumpit. All efforts to impede his progress by the destruction of bridges were frustrated. The insurgents were forced out of their strongest positions. Simultaneously Gen. Lawton moved to the right in a wide detour toward Norzagaray, the eastern limit of open country, with the intention of turning the enemy's position and crushing him between the two columns. Although unsuccessful in this, the enemy, to make good his escape, was compelled to abandon his line of retreat along the railroad and retire up the Rio Grande. The insurgents, by this move, displayed considerable adroitness in the art of war, as it made it incumbent upon the Americans to get their supplies to the front along a new line.

This had been comparatively easy along the line of the railroad, which had been prepared as the troops advanced. The change in the line of retreat of the rebels stopped Lawton's advance for several days, it is presumed, as no movement until Wednesday had been reported since Friday. Meanwhile, it is presumed, supplies were sent forward up the Rio Grande in cascos (native barges) under the escort of the gunboats commanded by Maj. Kobbes. The latter was reported to have 1,500 men with him, designed for the reinforcement of Lawton. The supplies probably have now arrived at the point opposite Lawton, whose column had advanced along a line five miles east and parallel with the river, and were delivered to him, and Wednesday he pushed on into San Isidro. This cleared the province of Bulacan, although the words in Gen. Otis' dispatch must not be taken literally, as meaning that Lawton has "covered" all of Bulacan province, but only the open country of that province or all west of Norzagaray. East of Norzagaray is a wall of mountain extending to the sea. These mountains run directly north on the left flank of the rebel retreat along the valley of the Rio Grande to about ten miles north of San Isidro, where they trend westward and form the source of that river. It is into the foothills of these mountains that Lawton is now driving the scattered and demoralized forces of the insurgents. Lawton has with him the 3d and 22d infantry, one battalion of the 17th, the 2d Oregon, 1st North Dakota, 13th Minnesota and a squadron of the 4th cavalry. No information has yet been received as to the 12th infantry and Light Battery E. of the 1st artillery, which have arrived at Manila. The 9th infantry, which arrived with those later commands, has been sent to join Lawton.

Foreign Corporations Taxed.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., May 18.—The senate passed and sent to the governor a bill placing a license tax of \$10 on all foreign corporations which desire to do business in the state in addition to the present tax. It does not effect corporations now authorized to do business in the state.

The Death of Scout Young.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The death of Wm. H. Young, chief of scouts of Gen. Lawton's division, is considered a serious loss. Young was very efficient. He was one of the scouts with Gen. O. O. Howard in the Nezperces campaign through Idaho and Montana some years ago.

The Rough Riders' Reunion.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., May 18.—The city of Albuquerque has relinquished its effort to secure the reunion of Roosevelt's Rough Riders in New Mexico, June 24 to 27. This action was taken in favor of Las Vegas. Gov. Roosevelt promises to be present.

Herd of Cattle Killed by Lightning.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., May 18.—At the farm of Ira Ward lightning struck a tree under which ten head of valuable cattle had taken shelter, killing the entire herd.

WIGGINS (2) 2:19 1/2.

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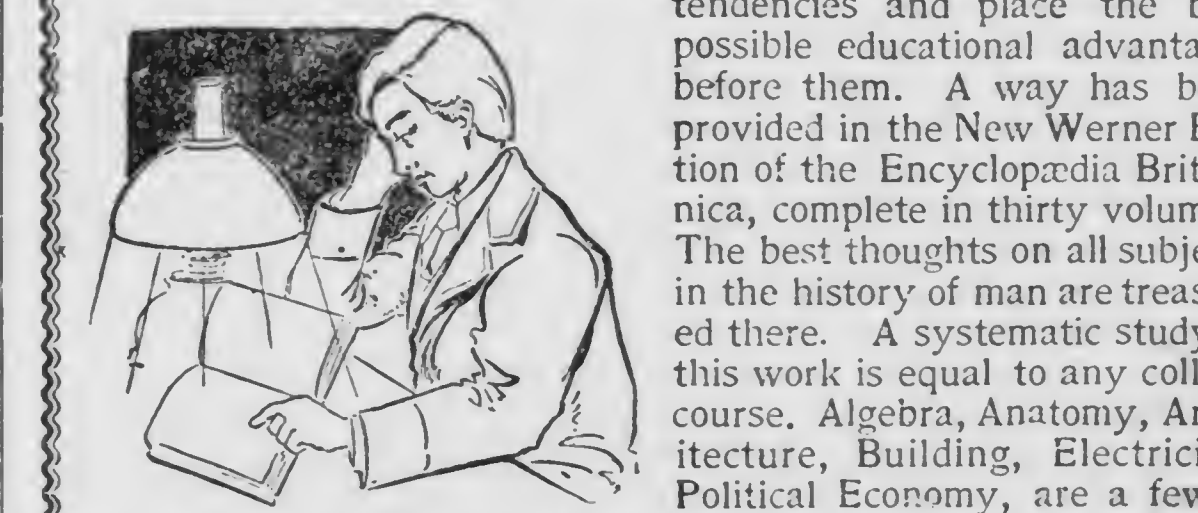
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When I've been so stunned or enraged! She's such a scheming girl—and then, Oh, lots of times, I've heard Ned say He thought she looked so silly when she tried to flirt. Oh, dear, some men Can't keep the same mind through the day!

Well, Wednesday came, and as 'twas Lent, And I was blue about it all. I thought the day would be best spent In some good work, and so I went To take flowers to the hospital.

And passing by, who should I see As at their door, with all my flowers I stood, but Tom! He said that he Thought time best spent in charity—I said those were my happiest hours.

Well, that began it. Then we found Our tastes alike in everything. We think respect's the proper ground For love, and ours is strong and sound.

Mine's twice as big as Kittle's ring!—Beatrice Hanscom, in Ladies' Home Journal.

Big Stories of Big Fish

The Tuna Man Put to Flight by the Black Sea Bass Man.

EVERYTHING is upside down on this side," said a rotund member of the Tuna club, Santa Catalina, who was watching Mexican Joe, his boatman, rig up a tuna bait. "On the Atlantic we have the gulf stream flowing north. Here we're on the Kurosiwo, the Japanese current that flows south and gives us this fishing; but the trouble with the old thing is that it wobbles. Sometimes it's off shore, sometimes clean in; sometimes it runs up into the Arctic, sometimes cutting across below; and that's what affects our fishing and climate, according to my mind. When the Kurosiwo is off shore, as it was five years ago, the fishing is off, too. That year the yellow tail were as scarce as hens' teeth, and the reason was the warm current was off shore and just touched the islands of southern California. This year we're right in it. People have been bathing all winter at Avalon, which shows that the water is warm; that's the reason the yellow tail have struck in so soon. Joe saw a school going north yesterday that covered 20 acres and was an hour passing. He reckoned that there were millions in the school."

"How can he reckon?" asked a chronic kicker. "He can't read or write."

"Well, he can save, can't he?" retorted the Tuna clubman.

This seemed unanswerable, but the kicker presently came to the front again. "You say Joe saw a million fish, eh?" and they were an hour passing. Dye know how that was? Why, he saw a school of 400 or 500 yellow tails, that's what he saw, and, like they always do at the first run, they were swimming in a circle, and Mexican Joe was drifting on the circumference of the circle, and the same fish went under him about a million times. He's got double multiplying sight, anyway, like a reel, like all them Amnians club boatmen; what they don't see when they're out of bait is a caution. Why, look what they talk up now; trying to make out that black sea bass is equal to a tuna."

"Well, so he is," responded the fleshy man.

"What!" said the other. "Compare that great overgrown hunk of a fish to a tuna?"

"Well, I hold the record for the biggest fish on top of the earth with the smallest line for a game fish, and that fish was a 327-pound black sea bass," replied the clubman.

"Here comes the colonel," said some one; "he holds the belt for the biggest fish story."

"And claims everything in sight," retorted the black sea bass champion.

"What do you consider the gamest fish in these waters, colonel?" asked the kicker, as the other man came up.

"Why, everyone knows that the leaping tuna is in a class by itself. Why," rolling his eyes around, "we would feed our tuna on full grown tarpon, if we could get them. It can't be," added the colonel, turning to the black sea bass champion, "that you are still clinging to that silly delusion that your fish beat mine. I'll tell you what I'll do," talking so fast that the black sea bass man could not get in a word. "I'll tell these gentlemen the story of my catch, then you tell yours, and let them settle it."

"Well," continued the colonel, clearing away the hooks and wire on the Mexican's stand and sitting down. "I hooked my fish one morning about six o'clock—two of us were fishing. We had 12-ounce rods, seven feet long and 21-thread lines, and plenty of it—800 feet or more. The first we knew there was a rush and two big fish came boiling along astern; then you should have heard those reels! You may talk about high C; they simply hummed, and the line was jerked off so quick that before I could think 500 feet was gone, while the fish my friend had hooked had taken everything and was off. There was a sort of a shriek from the steel throat of that reel, and 900 feet of good line went. I kept my fish well in hand, I confess by a species of luck, and stopped him in less than 800 feet, and when I felt that the brake was telling and that he was towing the boat and not taking line I thought I had a chance; but just then began some of the strangest maneuvers I ever saw in a fish. Suddenly I thought he was gone. You who have caught tunas perhaps know this peculiarity of the fish in getting off when there is no strain on the line; another tuna sometimes cuts it with its back. Well, I thought this had happened, but a second later I saw a gleam on the water, and it was my fish;

he was coming for me like a shot and on the surface, his blue back and yellow fins blazing in the sunlight. I reeled for my life, there was no doubt about that. I had a big multiplier that ate up line like a windmill, but no reeling on top of the earth could have met that rush, and I saw my line slack and made up my mind that the game was up. The fish stopped 20 feet from the boat, or as soon as he saw me, whirled about, and fairly dazzled me as the sun struck him, and was off again with 200 feet before I could stop him. Then he began to plunge to the bottom and drag the line like a steam engine, hauling the boat round; then he came to the top again and rushed in on me as before. Finally, after nearly three hours of this the fish started down the coast and towed us five miles, sometimes stopping to rush away, occasionally turning and towing the boat against a heavy sea that had picked up, but invariably turning south again, and in four hours from the start was gaffed after a hard struggle. He broke the first gaff in pieces and tore it from the hands of the boatman. The fish was fought hard from the start to the finish and weighed 183 pounds."

"It's a good fish story, no doubt," said the black sea bass champion as the colonel concluded; "it's a game fish, but it's not in the same class with the black sea bass and I never landed my biggest fish. It was this way: I was fishing for whitefish and had on a sardine. I got a bite and pulled up, then got a heavier bite, then a still heavier one, and finally after a hard struggle got the fish up and to my amazement I saw it was a black sea bass. A rockbass had taken the sardine, a whitefish had taken the rockbass, a yellowtail had grabbed the whitefish and the sea bass had taken the yellowtail. The fish towed us, anchor down, four miles up the coast and headed for San Nicolas, 70 miles away; then I said to Jim: 'I reckon we're out-classed.' The bass was as long as the boat, as near as we could judge, and I would have given a thousand dollars to see him weighed. He would have tipped the scales at 800 pounds, sure. But it was not our day; he suddenly gave a lunge and got away for a hundred feet. While I was reeling him in we saw a big flurry and a 15-foot maul came roaring right out of the water with that bass in his mouth and bit the fish square in two, leaving me the head, which I had mounted as a trophy."

"My 327-pound fish, which has accorded me the championship of the world, I landed fairly and squarely in 55 minutes. We were fishing on the bottom with 12-ounce rods and 21-thread lines. All at once my line began to run out. I gave the fish about ten feet and struck. Well, gentlemen, and the narrator took off his hat and wiped his brow at the mere recollection. "I'll give you my word, I thought that fish would take the boatman under water. Jim threw off the anchor rope, and with a whistle from the reel and a rush of water we were off, Jim pulling for his life to get headway on the boat, and I working the dumb brake with all my strength to stop the rush; but before I knew it had taken 700 feet of line and worn an inch leather pad down to nothing. And that's what bothered me—the smoke of that burning dumb brake kept getting in my eyes, though Jim kept fanning it away. I heard afterward that people who saw us thought it was a steam launch. But finally the brake burned up, and I used a thumbtack. When that wore out I doubled up my hat, and finally, after a rush of 900 feet, I stopped the fish. He began to skulk, but I put the tarpon-pumping movement into play, and soon started him. Then he began to rush around the boat, going so fast that both Jim and I got dizzy. We couldn't see the shore at all, and finally had to shut our eyes, and there, of course, we lost time; but we kept at the reel, and several times the rubber began to melt, but Jim kept pouring water on it as I reeled, and at last, by a herculean effort, I got that fish within 20 feet of the boat. It was then 45 minutes by the clock. What clock? Why, the boat clock. I never go fishing without a clock."

"As I was saying, we had the fish up within 20 feet, but to move him another foot we couldn't. Minutes and seconds were slipping away, and finally we had only ten minutes; you see, I wanted to do it in an hour, and just then Jim had an inspiration. He said 'stop reeling, sir, and we'll pull the boat up to the fish.' You see, all the time we had been trying to pull the fish to the boat. So Jim took his oars and rowed alongside while I reeled in the slack; and just 55 minutes from the time I hooked the fish Jim hauled him into the boat, 327 pounds to a dot; there isn't a man on earth that can do it in less," and the black sea bass advocate looked around at the awe-stricken assemblage. But the tuna man had disappeared.—N. Y. Sun.

Modern Cave Dwellers.

Cave dwellers, or, to be exact, earth or rock dwellers, are not yet extinct. A traveler who visited the prehistoric cave dwellers near Halberstadt, in the Harz mountains, found in the nearby village of Langenstein ten caves hewn in the rock and occupied by 40 persons. This little settlement is built on the slope of a rocky hill near the village. The fronts of the dwellings were made by cutting a vertical face in the rock. Each "house" has a door and one window. The first house was constructed only 40 years ago by a young married couple who were too poor to pay their rent in the village. The rock houses are warm in winter and cool in summer. They are quite healthful, according to the testimony of their inhabitants, whose stout limbs and red cheeks vouch for the truth of their statements.—N. Y. Herald.

The World's Language.

A French philosophical journal estimates that, of the 860 different languages spoken on the globe, 89 are in use in Europe, 114 in Africa, 123 in Asia, 417 in America, and 117 in Oceania.

France's New President.

President Loubet, the new president of France, is, if anything, calm, sane, a trifle bourgeois and utterly devoid of sense of self-importance. But there is a strong and irresistible will behind his bland face, and he looks like a man who would infuse into new-born French politics as much vigor and new life as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will into the run-down system of anyone who uses it. It is an absolute cure for the worst of all stomach disorders.

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To the Editor—I wish to express my heartfelt thanks to the following named persons for the assistance rendered me in the death of my husband: Officers Brown, Loftus and O'Donnell, who helped get the carriage in line at the funeral; John Gorman, who watched the corpse; Adolph Simon, of Simon & Norrby, who was especially noticeable while singing "All Coons Look Alike to Me" at the wake, and to Nick Wentz, for serving lunch to the mourners during their bereavement. Those men shall never be forgotten for their kindness. Mrs. Sarah Ann Wells, nee Murphy.—Penny Press.

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Parke—"I gave the cook fits to my wife this morning." Lane—"Anything happen?" Parke—"I don't know yet, but I'm afraid she heard what I said."—Town Topics.

"It takes a thief to catch a thief," and an honest man finds more good men in the world than a rascal would ever guess were there.—L. A. W. Bulletin.

THE MARKETS.

CINCINNATI, May 18.	
LIVE STOCK—Cattle, common	\$3.50 @ 4.50
Select Shippers	4.60 @ 4.75
CALVES—Fair to good light	6.50 @ 7.25
HOGS—Common and heavy	3.40 @ 3.50
Mixed packers	3.70 @ 3.85
Light shippers	3.60 @ 3.80
SHEEP—Choice and heavy	3.80 @ 4.10
LAMBS—Spring	6.00 @ 7.50
WHEAT—Winter patent	3.35 @ 3.60
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 75
No. 3 red	70 @ 72 1/2
Corn—No. 2 mixed	34 1/2 @ 35 1/2
Oats—No. 2	29 1/2 @ 30 1/2
RYE—No. 2	41 @ 42 1/2
HAY—Prime to choice	11.00 @ 11.50
PROVISIONS—Mess pork	10 @ 10 1/2
Lard—Choice	4 @ 4 1/2
BUTTER—Choice dairy	10 @ 10 1/2
Prime to choice creamery	10 @ 10 1/2
APPLES—Choice to fancy	4.00 @ 4.50
POTATOES—Per bushel	50 @ 55
CHICAGO.	
WHEAT—Winter patent	3.50 @ 3.60
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 75
No. 3 Chicago spring	65 @ 70
CORN—No. 2 mixed	34 1/2 @ 35 1/2
RYE—No. 2	41 @ 42 1/2
OATS—No. 2	29 1/2 @ 30 1/2
PORK—Mess	8.10 @ 8.15
LARD—Steam	4 1/2 @ 5.00
NEW YORK.	
WHEAT—Winter patent	3.75 @ 4.00
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 75
CORN—No. 2 mixed	34 1/2 @ 35 1/2
RYE—No. 2	41 @ 42 1/2
OATS—No. 2	29 1/2 @ 30 1/2
PORK—Mess	8.25 @ 9.00
LARD—Western	4 @ 5 1/2
BALTIMORE.	
WHEAT—Winter patent	3.35 @ 3.50
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 75
No. 3	68 @ 69
CORN—Mixed	33 1/2 @ 35 1/2
RYE—No. 2	40 @ 41 1/2
OATS—No. 2 western	28 @ 29
CATTLE—First quality	4.50 @ 4.80
HOGS—Western	3.90 @ 4.10
INDIANAPOLIS.	
WHEAT—Winter patent	71 1/2 @ 73 1/2
CORN—No. 2 mixed	33 1/2 @ 35 1/2
OATS—No. 2 mixed	28 @ 29
LOUISVILLE.	
WHEAT—Winter patent	3.75 @ 4.00
GRAIN—Wheat—No. 2 red	72 1/2 @ 75
No. 3	68 @ 69
CORN—Mixed	33 1/2 @ 35 1/2
RYE—No. 2	40 @ 41 1/2
OATS—No. 2	28 @ 29
PORK—Mess	8.10 @ 8.15
LARD—Steam	4 @ 5

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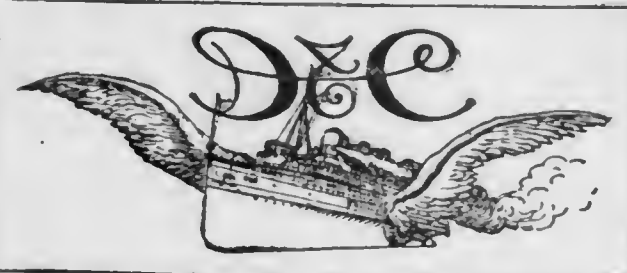
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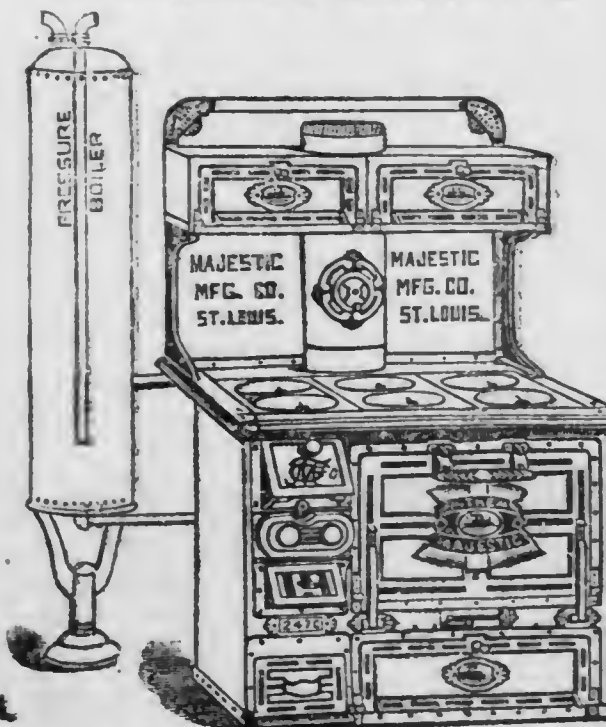
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place at the Christian Church on the
evening of the 10 inst.

Mrs. Rebecca Tureman gave a birth-
day dinner Tuesday to several of her
friends in honor of her 77th birthday.
Those present and their ages were Mrs.
Charity Sharp 71, Mrs. Grimes 78,
Mrs. Pope 81. The others present were
Misses Eliza Rogers and Martha Dudley.
After an elegant dinner the afternoon
was very pleasantly spent talking over
their girlhood days.

SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And
Comment.

Two six year old boys were drowned
in a sewer in Louisville Wednesday.

Ten young ladies and two young men
will graduate from the Cynthia:
Graded School on June 16th.

At Zanesville (O) a man was knocked
down and robbed in the "couchee
couchee" tent of Robinson's circus.

The Board of Examiners found the
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tion. Out of 900 patients only six were
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of the health of the patients is believed to
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Mich., May 22, 23 and 24, limited May
31. Account of convention Y. M. C. A.
of North America.

One fare round-trip to Roanoke, Va.,
May 17 to 22, limited to May 26, ac-
count of annual meeting German Bap-
tist Brethren.

One fare round-trip to Asheville, N.
C., on June 13 to 16, final limit June 30,
account of Southern Students Confer-
ence and Y. W. C. A.

One fare round-trip to Charlotte, N.
C., June 18 to 21, limited July 1, ac-
count Session Southern Biblical Assem-
bly.

One fare round-trip to St. Louis, June
18, 19 and 20, final limit June 26, on ac-
count of Annual Reunion and Grand
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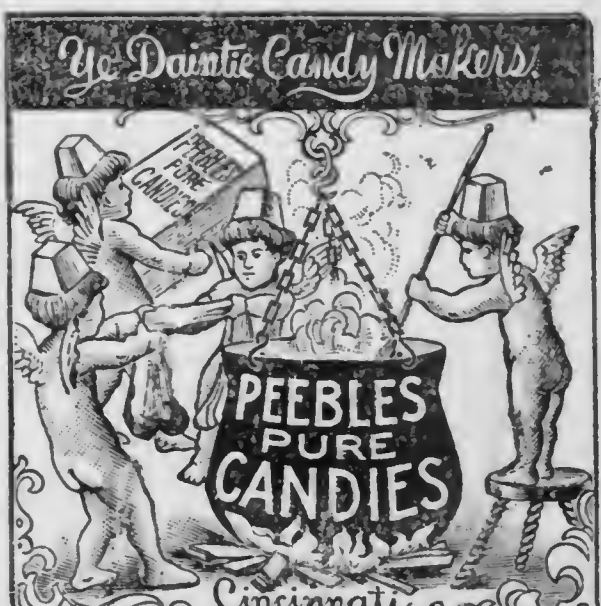
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